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Case No. <u>659/794</u>

IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re Application of:

Michael J. Faulks et al.

Serial No: 09/849,935

May 4, 2001

For: DISPENSER GASKET AND TENSIONER SYSTEM

Examiner: E. Marcelo

Group Art Unit: 3654

PETITION AND FEE FOR EXTENSION OF TIME (37 CFR § 1.136(a))

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Dear Sir:

Filed:

This is a petition for an extension of the time to respond to Office Action dated May 19, 2004 for a period of three (3) month(s).

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		claims small entity status.	See 37 C.F.R. §1.27.			
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		Extension Months	Other Than Small Entity	Small Entity				
		One Month Two Months Three Months Four Months Five Months	\$110.00 \$430.00 \$980.00 \$1,530.00 \$2,080.00	\$55.00 \$215.00 \$490.00 \$765.00 \$1,040.00				
Fee Payment								
	Attached is a check for \$980 for the Petition fee.							
	Attached is a credit card authorization form for \$ for the Petition fee.							
	Charge Petition fee to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached. Charge any additional fee required or credit for any excess fee paid to Deposit Account No. 23-1925. A duplicate copy of this Petition is attached.							
	Respectfully submitted,							
Dated: November 17, 2004								

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